

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:	) Examiner: Gary F. Paumen
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Stirling, Albert	) Art Unit: 2833
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Serial No.: 10/602,003	) Confirmation No.: 7717
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Patent No.: 6,848,939	)
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Filed: June 24, 2003	)
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For: COAXIAL CABLE CONNECTOR WITH	)
INTEGRAL GRIP BUSHING FOR	)
CABLES OF VARYING THICKNESS	)
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

The Patent Owner, Ideal Industries, Inc., states the following:

Ideal Industries, Inc. owns all right, title and interest in and to Patent No.  
6,848,939.

Ideal Industries, Inc. obtained the above referenced patent application by a chain  
of title from the inventors to the current assignee as follows:

1. The Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document relating to the  
assignment from the inventor, Albert Stirling, to Cabletel Communications Corporation,  
of the inventors entire right, title and interest in application number 10/602,003, having  
an effective date of October 21, 2003, which was recorded on September 13, 2004, at

Reel No. 015120 and Frame No. 0763 is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

2. The Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document relating to the release of security agreement granted by ABN AMRO Bank, N.C., Canada Branch to Cabletel Communications Corporation, the release having an effective date of June 30, 2004 and a recordation date of July 3, 2004 is attached hereto as Exhibit 2. This document is recorded at Reel No. 014815, Frame No. 0047.

3. The Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document relating to the assignment of all of Cabletel Communications Corporation's right, title and interest in the patent application, Serial No. 10/602,003, to Stirling Connectors, Inc. 1736 W. 18<sup>th</sup> Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46202, having an effective date of June 30, 2004 and having a recordation date of July 3, 2004, is attached hereto as Exhibit 3. This document is recorded at Reel No. 014814, Frame No. 0441.

4. The Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document relating to the assignment of all of Stirling Connectors, Inc.'s right, title and interest in the patent application, Serial No. 10/602,003, to Stirling Technologies, LLC, 1736 W. 18<sup>th</sup> Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46202, having an effective date of March 31, 2008 and having a recordation date of April 3, 2008, is attached hereto as Exhibit 4. This document is recorded at Reel 020753, Frame No. 0009.

5. The Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document relating to the assignment of all of Stirling Technologies, LLC's right, title and interest in the patent application, Serial No. 10/602,003, to Ideal Industries, Inc., Becker Place, Sycamore, Illinois 60178, having an effective date of April 27, 2009 and having a recordation date of April 28, 2009, is attached hereto as Exhibit 5. This document is recorded at Reel

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WHEREFORE, the Patent Owner respectfully requests the acceptance of this certificate under 37 CFR 3.73(b), acceptance of the Power of Attorney and the grant of all other proper relief.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 5/15/2009



Name: Jauke Rijpsma  
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# **EXHIBIT 1**



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RECORDATION DATE: 09/13/2004

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BRIEF: ASSIGNMENT OF ASSIGNOR'S INTEREST (SEE DOCUMENT FOR DETAILS).

ASSIGNOR:

STIRLING, MR. ALBERT

DOC DATE: 10/21/2003

ASSIGNEE:

CABLETEL COMMUNICATIONS CORP.  
230 TRAVAIL ROAD  
MARKHAM, ONTARIO L3S 3J1

SERIAL NUMBER: 10602003

FILING DATE: 06/24/2003

PATENT NUMBER:

ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: COAXIAL CABLE CONNECTOR WITH INTEGRAL GRIP BUSHING FOR CABLES OF VARYING THICKNESS

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BRIEF: RELEASE OF SECURITY AGREEMENTS

ASSIGNOR:

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MARKHAM, ONTARIO L4R2Z3

SERIAL NUMBER: 10602003

FILING DATE: 06/24/2003

PATENT NUMBER:

ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: COAXIAL CABLE CONNECTOR WITH INTEGRAL GRIP BUSHING FOR CABLES OF VARYING THICKNESS

SERIAL NUMBER: 10277888

FILING DATE: 10/23/2002

PATENT NUMBER:

ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: COAXIAL CABLE F-CONNECTOR ASSEMBLY WITH SEALING RING



SERIAL NUMBER: 07532292	FILING DATE: 06/01/1990
PATENT NUMBER: 5007861	ISSUE DATE: 04/16/1991
TITLE: CRIMPLESS COAXIAL CABLE CONNECTOR WITH PULL BACK CABLE ENGAGEMENT	

SERIAL NUMBER: 08458636	FILING DATE: 06/12/1995
PATENT NUMBER: 5662489	ISSUE DATE: 09/02/1997
TITLE: ELECTRICAL COUPLING WITH MATING TAPERS FOR COAXIAL CABLE HOUSINGS	

SERIAL NUMBER: 09030817	FILING DATE: 02/26/1998
PATENT NUMBER: 6261126	ISSUE DATE: 07/17/2001
TITLE: COAXIAL CABLE CONNECTOR WITH INTEGRAL CABLE GRIPPING EXTERNAL BUSHING	

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## ASSIGNOR:

CABLETEL COMMUNICATIONS CORP.

DOC DATE: 06/30/2004

## ASSIGNEE:

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1736 W. 18TH STREET  
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SERIAL NUMBER: 10602003

FILING DATE: 06/24/2003

PATENT NUMBER:

ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: COAXIAL CABLE CONNECTOR WITH INTEGRAL GRIP BUSHING FOR CABLES OF  
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DOC DATE: 03/31/2008

ASSIGNEE:

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SERIAL NUMBER: 11969957

FILING DATE: 01/07/2008

PATENT NUMBER:

ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: CABLE CONNECTOR WITH BUSHING THAT PERMITS VISUAL VERIFICATION

SERIAL NUMBER: 60884518

FILING DATE: 01/11/2007

PATENT NUMBER:

ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: CABLE CONNECTOR WITH SEE-THRU BUSHING

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PATENT NUMBER: 6848939 ISSUE DATE: 02/01/2005  
TITLE: COAXIAL CABLE CONNECTOR WITH INTEGRAL GRIP BUSHING FOR CABLES OF  
VARYING THICKNESS

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PATENT NUMBER: 6261126 ISSUE DATE: 07/17/2001  
TITLE: COAXIAL CABLE CONNECTOR WITH INTEGRAL CABLE GRIPPING EXTERNAL  
BUSHING

SERIAL NUMBER: FILING DATE: 01/07/2008  
PATENT NUMBER: ISSUE DATE:  
PCT NUMBER: US0850387  
TITLE: CABLE CONNECTOR WITH BUSHING THAT PERMITS VISUAL VERIFICATION

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PATENT NUMBER:

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